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Gladiolus

FOR YOUR

1949 GARDEN

Quality Gladiolus Gardens proudly presents this list of selected gladiolus varieties. Please look it over and note the wide range of types, sizes, and colors. Here are 75 time-tested varieties from which to make your selection. You will notice that our prices are reasonable, but not "cut-rate." Our bulbs are healthy, hand-graded, and selected. Satisfaction is assured when you purchase your bulbs from Quality Gladiolus Gardens.

"Quality has no Substitute"

QUALITY GLADIOLUS GARDENS

Chester Sirois and Don Creager

ST. ANNE, ILLINOIS

ALL BULBS TREATED . . . READY TO PLANT

Bulbs ordered from this list come to you already treated with a combination fungicide-insecticide. We save you the muss, fuss, time, and money of dipping or soaking bulbs in a disinfectant before planting. When spring comes, all you have to do is open the furrow and plant.

ORDERS and PRICES

Bulbs of the higher-priced varieties are listed per each, while the lower-priced ones are listed per 3. When the price is listed per 3, that is the least number of bulbs of that variety and size we will sell; in other words, when ordering, please do not split quantities as listed. If you wish more than 10 bulbs of any one variety and size, you can have 100 bulbs at the reduced rate of 8 times the 10 price, and 25 or more at the 100 rate.

All shipments are prepaid by us. Unless you specify, we will use our judgment as to method of shipment, either express or parcel post.

BULB SIZES

Our list offers three sizes of bulbs as follows:

Large, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " diameter and up.	Medium, 3/4" to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	Small, 3/8" to 3/4"
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The large and medium sizes produce the best flowers. The small size bulbs usually produce later and smaller spikes; however, they produce large bulbs the first year, which are ideal for flower production the following year.

TERMS

No orders for less than \$3.00, please; we must make this request because of the present high cost of labor in preparing and packing orders for shipment. Please remit in full with order.

DATE OF SHIPMENT

When you order, please give approximate date you wish to receive your bulbs. Otherwise, we will ship to you early in the spring before planting time.

Variety		Prices Per	large	medium	small
AIRY FAIRY — Small decorative type, deep pink with cream center, ideal for small arrangements	3 10	\$.30 .80	\$.25	\$.15 .40	
ANNAMAE — Pure white, medium large, early and dependable	3 10	.25 .60	.15 .40	.10 .25	
ABU HASSEN — Deep blue violet, one of the darkest colored varieties	3 10	.45 1.00	.30 .80	.25 .60	
BADGER BEAUTY — Clear lavender, medium size	3 10	.25 .60	.15 .40	.10 .25	
BANCROFT WINSOR — Medium size orange with reddish-orange plume in throat	1 10	.25 2.00	.15 1.00	.10 .80	
BARCAROLE — Ruffled light orange, medium large	3 10	.25 .60	.15 .40	.10 .25	
BEACON — Brilliant scarlet with yellowish cream center	3 10	.25 .60	.15 .40	.10 .25	
BEAUTY CLINIC — Ruffled salmon pink, medium size, very beautiful	3 10	.25 .60	.15 .40	.10 .25	
BELTRAMI — Large smoky mulberry rose, with golden brown overcast	3 10	.30 .80	.25 .60	.15 .40	
BITTERSWEET — Bittersweet orange with nicely blended orange-red throat marking	3 10	.45 1.00	.30 .80	.25 .60	
BLOEMFONTEIN — Buff pink, a tall-growing variety from Holland	1 10	.20 1.50	.15 1.00	.10 .80	
BRIGHTSIDE — Medium size, bright blend of orange and yellow	3 10	.30 .80	.25 .60	.15 .40	
BRIDE'S DELIGHT — Dainty blush pink, a beautiful pastel	3 10	.25 .60	.15 .40	.10 .25	
BLUE BEAUTY — Light violet blue, the best of the blues	3 10	.30 .80	.25 .60	.15 .40	
CRINKLES — Ruffled light rose, medium small type, a real show champion	1 10	.25 2.00	.15 1.00		

Variety		Prices Per	large	medium	small
COLOR MARVEL — Harmonious blend of yellow, orange, and pink, medium size		1	.50	.35	.20
DR. F. E. BENNETT — Tall scarlet, very popular		3	.20	.15	.10
	10		.60	.40	.25
EARLY ROSE — Early two-toned rose, medium size		3	.20	.15	.10
	10		.60	.40	.25
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN — Most beautiful ruffled lavender		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
ETHEL CAVE-COLE — Huge light pink, large and healthy grower		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
FABULOUS — Striking pink with cherry red and cream throat marking		1	.80	.60	.40
	10		6.00	4.50	3.00
FAIRY FANCY — Cream, orchid-like florets, small type		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
GARDENIA — Creamy white, medium size		3	.20	.15	.10
	10		.60	.40	.25
HIGH FINANCE — Striking orange-gray smoky, large, and very attractive		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
KESTREL — Large tall orange with yellowish throat marking		1	.40	.30	.20
	10		3.00	2.50	1.50
KING BEE — Tall, brick red or scarlet, often pencil-striped darker, unusual		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
KING LEAR — Beautifully ruffled, large size purple		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
KING TAN — Large rosy tan, blends beautifully with orange, yellow and cream varieties in arrangements		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
LANTANA — Brilliant blend of golden yellow, orange, and pink, early		3	.30	.25	.15
	10		.80	.60	.40
LEADING LADY — Tall, creamy white, one of the finest		3	.35	.30	.20
	10		1.00	.80	.50
LEGEND — Large, light pink		3	.25	.15	.10
	10		.60	.40	.25

Variety		Prices Per	large	medium	small
LIPSTICK — Light pink with blended red throat marking	1	.25	.20	.15	
	10	2.00	1.50	1.00	
MAGNOLIA — Large rose pink, excellent	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
MARGARET BEATON — Large pure white with red throat marking, a beautiful flower	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
MARGARET FULTON — Deep salmon pink, very dependable	3	.20	.15	.10	
	10	.60	.40	.25	
MARGUERITE — Large watermelon pink	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
MINUET — Large lavender	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
MISS LOMBARD — Medium size cream with each petal tip tinted light red, a distinct novelty.	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
MISS WISCONSIN — Large deep rose, best in its color class	1	.35	.25	.15	
	10	2.75	2.00	1.00	
MOTHER KADEL — Pure light yellow, beautiful and grows well	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
MYRNA — Ruffled creamy white	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
ORIENTAL PEARL — Huge, rich cream, vigorous grower	1	.50	.40	.30	
	10	4.00	3.00	2.50	
PACIFICA — Large creamy white	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
PICARDY — Large salmon pink	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
PINOCCHIO — Ruffled orange blend, medium small	3	.45	.30	.25	
	10	1.00	.80	.60	
PINK PICARDY — Like Picardy, but deeper in color	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
PINK CHARM — Rich pink with deeper colored throat, early, and most beautiful	1	.50	.35	.25	
	10	4.00	2.50	2.00	
PINK PARAGON — Clear deep pink, medium size florets, tall spikes	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	

Variety		Prices Per	large	medium	small
PURPLE SUPREME — Tall purple, vigorous		3	.30	.25	.15
		10	.80	.60	.40
RAVEL — Tall, blue-violet. A recent introduction from Holland		1	.50	.35	.25
		10	4.00	2.50	2.00
RED CHARM — Bright deep red, large		3	.30	.25	.15
		10	.80	.60	.40
RED PHIPPS — Light red, medium size, very dependable		3	.20	.15	.10
		10	.60	.40	.25
REWI FALLU — Rich, velvety deep red, huge florets, a variety everybody likes		3	.30	.25	.15
		10	.80	.60	.40
ROSA VAN LIMA — Clear rose pink		3	.30	.25	.15
		10	.80	.60	.40
ROSE DEFIANT — Salmon pink with a rosy cast, petals with silver edging, distinct		3	.30	.25	.15
		10	.80	.60	.40
ROSE O'DAY — Rosy lavender, tall- growing		1	.25	.20	.15
		10	2.00	1.50	1.00
ROSY RED — Medium size, deep rosy red, especially beautiful under artificial light		1	.20	.15	.10
		10	1.50	1.00	.75
SILVER STAR — Large white with purple and lavender throat marking		1	.25	.20	.15
		10	2.00	1.50	1.00
SILVER WINGS — Large, waxy cream- white, tall-growing		1	.25	.15	.10
		10	2.00	1.00	.80
SNOW BANK — Large, waxy ruffled white, with creamy throat, very beautiful		3	.45	.30	.20
		10	1.00	.80	.60
SNOW PRINCESS — Dependable, cream- white, plain petals		3	.20	.15	.10
		10	.60	.40	.25
SOPHIA — Rich shell-pink with deeper throat marking, another Holland introduction		1	.25	.15	.10
		10	2.00	1.00	.80
SOUTHERN MELODY — Creamy buff pink overlaid with deeper pink and bronze streaking. A distinct novelty. Medium size		3	.20	.15	.10
		10	.60	.40	.25

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SPOTLIGHT — Outstanding, large					
deep yellow with scarlet throat- marking	1	.20	.15	.10	
	10	1.50	1.00	.80	
STOPLIGHT — Brilliant, ruffled red	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
SUSQUEHANNA — Huge peach buff, tall	3	.45	.30	.20	
	10	1.00	.80	.60	
THOMAS E. WILSON — Small type, deep pink with light yellow throat, Dainty, fine for corsages and small table arrangements.	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
TITAN — Large, deep salmon pink	1	.20	.15	.10	
	10	1.50	1.00	.80	
VALERIA — Strong-growing, large, light red or scarlet	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
VEE CREAM — Beautiful ruffled light yellow with red feather-mark in throat	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
WHITE EAGLE — Ruffled creamy- white, tall-growing, medium size	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
WHITE GOLD — Huge cream, early	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
WHITE SATIN — Small type, like Thos. E. Wilson, but pure cream white	3	.30	.25	.15	
	10	.80	.60	.40	
WOLVERINE STATE — Deep salmon pink	3	.45	.30	.20	
with scarlet throat marking	10	1.00	.80	.60	
YELLOW HERALD — Tall light yellow	1	.25	.15	.10	
from Holland	10	2.00	1.00	.80	
SPECIAL MIXTURE — Large Bulbs of 10 Varieties					
100 for \$8.00, 50 for \$4.00, 10 for \$1.00					

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